

It Is Fortunate They Don't Have Mirrors Out on the Sidewalk

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PETE WALL TO LEAD
GEORGETOWN TEAMFailure of Mahlum to Return
Causes Appointment of
Halfback to Leadership.

By BRYAN MORSE.

Halfback Pete Wall, whose sensational work in the back field for Georgetown last year, earned him an enviable reputation, is Georgetown's captain. The failure of Captain-elect "Blondy" Mahlum to report this season threw the choice of a leader on Coach Exendine and Wall was selected. A permanent captain will be elected when the university athletic association assembles next month.

Mahlum wired Charlie Cox yesterday he would be unable to return to college this season and Wall was selected to fill the bill. The failure of Mahlum to return is the first bit of hard luck Georgetown has encountered this season.

The team includes Ward, Fitzgerald, Barron, and McCarthy in the line and Coach Exendine will have a hard time filling their places. There are few veteran linemen in college this fall. Green, Jimmy Sullivan, "Red" Cusack, Dillie, Henry, and James O'Boyle put in an appearance yesterday.

Signal drill, tackling, passing, and punting formed the basis of a strenuous afternoon yesterday.

Charlie Cox is expecting information about Saturday's game today. Representatives for V. M. I., V. P. I., and William and Mary have been approached about a meeting in Richmond on Saturday.

No new candidates reported for the George Washington University team yesterday. There are eleven in the squad at present. Manager McKnew is expecting a bunch of newcomers in a day or so. The opening of college will draw a number of out-of-town men.

As George Washington is facing Gettysburg College on October 14, efforts are being made to arrange a game for the Saturday before that date. Gettysburg is rated as one of the strongest teams in Pennsylvania and Coach Tom Sullivan wants to get a workout before that contest.

Richards, former Central High School captain, is expected to try out for the Harvard varsity this fall. "The youngster" made the Harvard freshman eleven last fall.

Raymond Peck, former Western High School star, has entered Pennsylvania as has Stuart Smith, another Westerner. So far Brooke Brewer, slated for Penn, has failed to matriculate at the Red and Blue.

Harold Cissel, Central High School tennis captain, withdrew from the District title tournament yesterday on account of poor condition. Cissel defeated the veteran Lou Fischer in the first round.

Heffernan and Greer, Catholic University, are slated for George Washington this fall, it is reported. Lake and Hills, two middle Atlantic stars, are also expected to be out for a workout with the Red and Blue squad today.

Short-Pants Amateurs
In City Series Tomorrow

The first game of the inter-city series between the Washington and Baltimore short pants amateurs will be played tomorrow at Fifth and Florida avenue northeast. The second game will be played in Baltimore on Saturday, while the place for the third contest will be decided by a toss up.

The S. S. C. team won the junior amateur championship of the District yesterday when they defeated the Shamrocks, 2 to 1. S. S. C. scored all of their tallies in the first frame, when Pfiel and Ingley singled while Al Watt clouted one for a circuit drive, but only two of the runs scored were allowed as Ingley failed to touch third. Catlin, for the Sunday school team, twirled excellent ball during the five frames of the game, he allowed but two widely scattered hits while his opponent, Lewis was touched for a total of six safeties, all of which were of the clean cut variety.

Giants' Record Unbroken;
Win and Then Tie Pirates

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—New York kept its winning streak intact here yesterday, winning the first game of a double-header from Pittsburgh, 2 to 0, for its twelfth straight victory. The second game resulted in a 1-to-1 tie, the game being called in the first half of the ninth on account of rain and darkness.

A. A. U. MEN ELECT
RUTHERFORD AGAINBurch, of W. S. C., and Dean, of
C. I., on Board for Year.

Latrobe Cogswell was re-elected president of the South Atlantic Association of the Amateur Athletic Union last night at the annual meeting at the Baltimore Athletic Club in Baltimore. Other officers re-elected were: Reginald Rutherford, vice president, and William J. Leimkuhler, secretary-treasurer.

The registration committee consists of Dr. William Burdick, chairman; C. J. Dean, J. J. Rettallata, and the delegates to the annual meeting of the Amateur Athletic Union November 20 will be President Cogswell, George J. Turner, president of the Amateur Athletic Union; Lieut. Col. Washington Bowie, Jr., and Capt. Frank Hancock, of the Fifth Regiment; Dr. William Burdick, of the Public Athletic League, and J. M. Burch, of the Washington Swimming Club.

The members of the board of managers are: President Cogswell, Prof. John C. Doyle, C. E. Speer, H. M. Frank, William J. Leimkuhler, George J. Turner, Dr. William Burdick, Reginald Rutherford, C. J. Dean, H. M. West and J. J. Rettallata.

Representatives were not present from Frederick, Richmond and Alexandria, Va., so none from those places was elected to the board of managers.

ANACOSTIA.

A special committee consisting of C. A. Barker, president of the Ridge Highlands Citizens' Association, J. E. Crowder, president of the Bradbury Heights Association, Henry Conger and J. M. Bradbury visited the District Building a few days ago for a conference with the Engineer Commissioner relative to improvement of Pennsylvania avenue between the Bowen road and Branch avenue.

A petition signed by nearly 300 citizens was presented asking this improvement. The committee pointed out that Forts Davis and Dupont, in this section, had been secured for public parks, but nothing had been done toward improving same. Under the new law property owners in the vicinity were required to use a part of the cost of these tracts.

Anacostia Tent No. 7, Knights of the Macabres, met last night in the Masonic Hall for degree work. A number of applications were acted upon.

Work of removing buildings in square 1563, near Pennsylvania avenue and the Anacostia river, will be started by the Government to be used in connection with the reclamation of the river. The buildings have been removed from the premises.

The master mason degree was presented at a meeting of Anacostia Lodge, No. 21, F. A. A. M., last night in the Masonic Hall before a large gathering. Several candidates were admitted. A special meeting will be held Friday evening.

Anacostia is to have a large rubber factory, it is reported, located near the Baltimore and Ohio railroad tracks at the foot of Thirtieth street and running to Fourteenth street. A side track of the railroad has been placed, and applications for the plant, which will employ 200 men.

A meeting of the officers and teachers of the Sunday school of Emmanuel Church will be held tonight in the parish hall in V street.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Tolson and family returned from their home at Piney Point, Md., yesterday.

HYATTSVILLE.

Dr. Alden Anderson, of the Maryland Association for the Prevention and Cure of Tuberculosis, gave an illustrated lecture in the Masonic hall here last night. Dr. Anderson has been camping in Zantinger's woods on the outskirts of the town, and using his automobile as living quarters.

The Hyattsville Citizens' Association elected the following officers at Odd Fellows hall last night: President, John Wilson; first vice president, John Ginder; second vice president, William E. Pierce; third vice president, W. R. Walton; secretary, William A. Saddington; treasurer, H. B. Mayhew. The next meeting of the association will be on October 2.

The Rev. John W. Slack will be installed as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church here, tomorrow night.

A meeting of the fire department was held last night in the municipal building and a vote of thanks for the service rendered by the entertainment committee at the Joint Labor Day celebration was given by John Adams, chairman; S. J. Kelly, Edward Devlin, Hugh Crawley, John Faintner, Robert King, Clarence Weirnick, Harry Deagles, and T. H. Deckelman. The following were admitted as new members: William R. Snyder, H. F. Griffith, and C. Andrew Barr. Five applications for membership were received and will be acted upon at a meeting October 2.

Beauty a Handicap for a Fair
Aspirant for Picture HonorsMadaline Traverse Regards
Loveliness a Liability Rather
Than an Asset.

HAMPERS INSTEAD OF HELPS

Film and Stage Star Declares
Pretty Girls Have Hard Time
Getting a Chance.

Whether or not beauty is an asset or a liability to an aspirant for honors on the stage and in motion pictures is likely to become the subject for serious debate in dramatic circles.

The controversy starts with the flat statement by Madaline Traverse, one of the new screen and well-known stage stars, that beauty isn't an asset at all. On the contrary, she asserts Miss Traverse vehemently, it is a positive detriment to a girl who would climb the heights of dramatic success—either by means of the motion picture camera or on the stage.

Miss Traverse has been rated for some time as one of the most beautiful stock leading women in the country, and she has also made her mark in big productions. Washingtonians will best remember her in the character of the adventures in "The Seven Keys to Baldpate," and she has also been seen here on the stage in "The Chorus Lady" with Rose Stahl; in "Joseph and His Brethren" and in "The Woman's Law."

She has just been "nagged" for one of the two leading feminine roles in "The Shielding Shadow," which the Pathe company will begin exhibiting in Washington as its new serial film of adventure.

Qualifies as Expert.

In the matter of beauty, it would, therefore, seem, Miss Traverse would be an expert witness, because she has plenty of it in the first place, and because she has placed herself to a rather important position on the stage and screen in spite of it.

There is no appeal in just beauty. Miss Traverse asserts. It does not inspire confidence in the public or in the managers of the theaters and the picture plays unless the person possessing it can also show some ability. The managers are afraid of such a type. She continues:

"Beauty about which the poets rave and for which artists are eternally seeking—and incidentally seldom finding—when possessed by a girl who must make her way alone in the world hampers her more than it helps her, particularly in the early stages of her struggle."

"Managers and others think that when a girl has good looks she must be other attributes, and they are surprised when they find a combination of good looks and brains."

Mabel Joins the Army!

Mabel Normand has joined the army! Not the regular army or the national guard, but the Grand Army of Whopping Cough Alumni, of which Washington has a big branch.

This is the reason the fair Mabel hasn't appeared in any of those comedy dramas that were planned for her when she left New York and the Keystone company and decided to start a company of her own under Thomas H. Ince's direction. Mabel has suffered so severely from the whooping cough that she was unable to act in a just getting well enough to be around the studio.

The thousands of Washingtonians who have either just had the whooping cough or have endured the torments that result from some one in the family having it, will be able to sympathize with Miss Normand. Her whooping cough experience was rather more difficult than the average. Miss Normand was not in the most robust condition to start with, having just recovered from a severe illness following an injury received during the course of picture making in the Keystone factory.

Broke All Records.

The records for film audiences at Crandall's Theater were broken last week, according to the weekly box office reports, by the production in which A. H. Van Buren made his appearance here as a Fox film star with Theda Bara in "Her Double Life."

The number of people attending the five performances during the five days the film was shown, at

MADALINE TRAVERSE.
New Film Star of "The Shielding Shadow," Who Declares Beauty a Detriment to Success in the Drama or Pictures.

Crandall's broke all house records and the receipts equalled the biggest receipts ever recorded.

Manager Crandall states that only once before, when William Farnum was presented in "The Nigger," were the receipts as high. On that occasion, however, double the present prices were charged and not more than half the number of people saw the film. Van Buren played in stock companies in Washington several years, and has a large number of admirers here, among both the theatergoers and film patrons.

BIG TROUSERS SALE
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at Friedlander's,
428 9th St.

New interest is given the remarkable sale of Trousers now in progress at Friedlander Bros., 428 Ninth street northwest, through the arrival of a fresh shipment, direct from the makers, which has been incorporated with the remainder of the original stock and offered at truly sensational prices.

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Another busy corner of Friedlander's popular store is the Men's Hat Department, where they are offering a wide selection of new Fall Hats, in all the latest shapes, colors, and materials, at the low price of \$1.50.

Embrace this opportunity before it is too late. Stop in at Friedlander's, 428 Ninth street northwest, right away, and make your selection while the stock is at its best.—Advt.

A Little Practice Cruise.

The Soule—Another air-raid last night. George, bombs dropped in several districts and some damage done.

"Garge-Lor," Master. Now was it done by the German fliers, or would that be our party?—Sketch.

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TODAY'S BEST FILMS.

Strand, Ninth and D streets—Frank Keenan and Enid Markey in "War's Women," produced by Thomas H. Ince.

Casino, Seventh and F streets—"The Fall of a Nation," by Thomas Dixon, Jr., author of "The Birth of a Nation," with a musical score by Victor Herbert.

Loew's Columbia, Twelfth and F streets—Valentine Grant, in "The Daughter of Macgregor" (Famous Players).

Circle, 206 Pennsylvania avenue—James K. Hackett, in "The Prisoner of Zenda," adapted from the story by Anthony Hope.

Garden, 428 Ninth street—Harold Lockwood and May Allison, in "Mister 44."

Leader, Ninth between E and F streets—Blanche Sweet, in Public Opinion (Lasky).

Crandall's, Ninth and E streets—Beatrice Michelena, in "Friday the 13th," adapted from the story by Thomas W. Lawson (California Motion Picture Co.).

Savoy, Fourteenth street and Columbia road—Edmund Breese, in "The Weakness of Strength."

Apollo, 624 H street northeast—House Peters, in "The Rail Rider" (World Film Corp.).

Avenue Grand, 645 Pennsylvania avenue southeast—Geraldine Farrar, in "Marie Ross" (Lasky).

Masonic Auditorium, Thirteenth street and New York avenue—Beatrice Barricade, in "Bullets and Brown Eyes" (Triangle).

Favorite, First and H streets—Grace Darling and Harry Fox, in "The Times-Beatrice Fairfax stories of real life."

Home, Twelfth and C streets northeast—Cleo Ridgely, in "The Golden Chance" (Lasky).

BOWLERS STARTING
OFF GOOD SEASONFour Leagues Start Rolling, With
Several Fine Scores Hung Up.

"Set 'em up in the other alley!"

The bowling season was officially opened last night when four leagues started the ball rolling. The Masonic League, one of the largest in the country, got a fine send-off. The Capital City, Northeast and Government also got action.

The Masonic League was officially gotten under way by Honorary President Claude Klepper and William F. Gude.

Meetings were held last night by the National Capital and Commercial Leagues at which schedules were adopted, officers elected and plans made for the season. National Capital starts the ball rolling at the Southeast alleys Monday with a match between the Southeast Stars and Grand Central. Three days later Washington Railway Athletic Association and Washington Gas, Southern and General Baking, and Star and Judd & Detweiler clash in the inaugural contests of the Commercial League at the Palace alleys.

Jewels took two out of three from the Bureau in the Capital City. The Bureau team started right with 500, but fell by the wayside. House of Jewels, got high honor with 125 in the final game.

Veterans took two out of three from Warriors in the Government, while Auditors made a clean sweep of the matches with Volunteers.

Capitol Hill cleaned up for the Gibraltar five in the Northeast circuit. Mills, of the winners rolled consistently, averaging better than 100.

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WEDNESDAY NIGHT
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vs.
Joe Turner

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Belt.

Best two in three falls.
Police Gazette rules.
In conjunction with the
"Uncle Sam's Belles."

